

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – MA & UD Department – Sri M. Ravi Kumar, the then Municipal Commissioner, Alwal Municipality – Charges framed – Explanation obtained - Enquiry Officer appointed and obtained E.O. report – Punishment imposed – Revised punishment - Orders - Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (L1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 390

Date: 02-06-2008

Read the following:

- 1) From the C&DMA Lr.Roc.No.7645/2002-E2, dt.26-11-02
- 2) G.O.Rt.N.99, MA & UD (L2) Dept., dt. 23-01-2003.
- 3) G.O.Rt.No.837, MA & UD(L2) Dept., dt.24-06-2003
- 4) Enquiry Report of Sri K.Vema Reddy, RDMA, Hyd., dated 19-02-2004.
- 5) Govt. Memo.NO.8727/L2/2002 MA & UD (L2) Dept.,dated 29-11-2004.
- 6) From the C&DMA Lr.Roc.No.7645/2002-E3, dt.20-02-2006 and 06-03-2006.
- 7) Govt. Lr.No.8727/L2/2002, MA & UD(L2) Dept., dated 14-07-2007.
- 8) From the Secretary, APPSC Lr.No.1055/RT-1/3/2006, dated 05-02-2007.
- 9) G.O.Ms.No.165, MA & UD (L2) Dept., dt. 16-03-2007.
- 10) O.A.No.2171/2007 filed by Sri M. Ravi Kumar, the then MC Alwal Municipality.
- 11) Orders of the Hon'ble Tribunal in O.A.No.2171/2007 dated 06-10-2007.
- 12) G.O.Ms.No.138, MA & UD (L1) Dept., dated 12-02-2008.

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ORDER:

In the reference 2nd read above, based on the proposal of the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, charges have been framed against five officials of Alwal Municipality including Sri M. Ravi Kumar, former Municipal Commissioner, Alwal Municipality for the irregular purchase of sanitary material and misappropriation of Municipal funds etc. After following due procedure and after careful examination of the matter in consultation with the APPSC, Government have imposed a penalty of reduction to Senior Assistant post in the time scale of pay of Senior Assistant grade by ten places in the seniority list of Senior Assistant which shall ordinarily be a bar to the promotion of Sri M. Ravi Kumar to the time scale of pay Rs.5,642-11,300 of Municipal Commissioner on condition that he puts in 2 years of service without any adverse remarks to the satisfaction of the appointing authority under Rule 9 of APCS(CCA) Rules, 1991.

Aggrieved by the above orders, Sri M. Ravi Kumar has filed O.A. No. 2171/2007 challenging the punishment orders in the reference 10th read above. The Hon'ble Tribunal in its order dated 06-10-2007 has observed that the condition stipulated in the impugned order that he puts in 2 years of service without any adverse remarks to the satisfaction of the appointing authority has not been contemplated in the above said APCS(CCA) Rules, 1991. Therefore, the orders issued in impugned orders were set aside and the matter was remanded to the disciplinary authority to pass appropriate orders in accordance with rules.

P.T.O.

In view of the above and also in view of the orders of the Hon'ble Tribunal in O.A.No. 2171/2007, the matter has been further examined in consultation with the GA(Ser.) Dept., and Law Dept., and imposed revised punishment reducing to senior Assistant post in the time scale of senior assistant for a period of two years with effect from the date of receipt of this order, exclusive of any interval spent on leave. On completion of two years of above punishment he shall be re promoted to Grade III Municipal Commissioner by regularizing his seniority as it existed before his reduction.

Government have further examined the entire case and felt necessary to revise the punishment imposed in the reference 12th read above and decided to impose punishment of stoppage of two increments with cumulative effect on Sri M. Ravi Kumar, former Municipal Commissioner, Alwal Municipality. Accordingly Government hereby impose punishment of stoppage of two increments with cumulative effect on Sri M. Ravi Kumar, former Municipal Commissioner, Alwal Municipality.

The orders issued in the reference 12nd read above are hereby rescinded.

The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Hyderabad shall take action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S.P. SINGH
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri M. Ravi Kumar, former Municipal Commissioner, Alwal Municipality
through C&DMA, Hyderabad.
The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Hyderabad.
SF/SC.

// FORWARDED : BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER